Government have constituted State Level Inter-Institutional Committes to render assistance to sick units in a coordinated manner. Measures for facilitating the growth and updating technology of small scale industries, extension of institutional network for providing necessary back-up support, consolidation and improvement of work and facilities, setting up of process and product development centres and field testing centres have been taken up.

Installation of big power plant in West Bengal

*15. SHRI RAMKRISHNA MAZUMDER: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Government of USSR have agreed to help in the installation of a big power plant for generation of electricity in West Bengal ;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the Chief Minister of West Bengal has requested the Central Government for approval of the said proposal from the USSR Government; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY (SHRI VASANT SATHE) : (a) M/s. Technopromexport of USSR have evinced interest in setting up Thermal Station of 3 x 210 MW at Bakreswar in West Bengal.

(b) The Chief Minister of West Bengal has requested consideration of the proposal alongwith another offer.

(c) The matter can be considered on receipt of a formal, detailed proposal.

Telephone connections on forged sanction letters

*16. SHRI K. VASUDEVA PANICKER :
SHRI JAGDAMBI PRASAD YADAV :

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that a large number of telephones have been installed in Delhi on forged sanction letters bearing fictitious official signatures ;

(b) if so, how many such telephones have been installed and extensions given during the last three years;

(c) whether any member of the staff of the Department is involved in the issue of such forged letters; and

(d) if the answer to part (c) above be in the affirmative what action has been taken against the erring staff ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA) : (a) On a check made by Department of Telecommunications, it has come to light that some telephone connections were installed or extended on the basis of alleged irregular sanctions received in offices of Delhi Telephones.

(b) to (d) The matter is under investigation and full details are not yet available.

निर्वाचन संबंधी सुधार

*17. श्री लालकृष्ण आडवाणी :
श्री शंकर सिंह बाघेला :

क्या विधि और न्याय मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार ने 5 मई, 1985 को संसद् में रखे गये निर्वाचन आयोग